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Title: MITRAL VALVE CONSTRICTING DEVICE, SYSTEM AND METHOD

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X 2.   Drawings consisting of _4_ sheets.
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Additionally:

___ 4.   An assignment of the invention to_____is attached.
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